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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q65441

Takahiko ISHIGURO, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/904,557

Group Art Unit: 1634

Confirmation No.: 6024

Examiner: Shaw, A.

Filed: July 16, 2001

For: NOVEL GENOME ANALYZING METHOD

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on
February 2, 2007:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was attached with the Office
communication dated February 12, 2007.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: none
2. Identification of claims discussed: all
3. Identification of art discussed: none
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: removing recitation of (A)
from (C) in claims 13 and 14
5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: none

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6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: discussed potential amendments to the claims to address the §112, first paragraph, rejections, as well as the Examiner's desire to have additional support for the phrase rejected in the new matter rejection

7. Results of Interview: Applicants suggested they may file a supplemental amendment; Examiner agreed to issue an Interview Summary and to wait for further action from Applicants.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.


Respectfully submitted,

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